Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 26 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 27 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 26 Nov 2023 at 02:58 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for becoming colder, low for distribution of snow showers from Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 26 Nov 2023: Dry with some sunny spells, mainly light winds. Cloudier in evening with some light rain and mountain snow possible.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 26 Nov 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	20%

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Weather: A good deal of sunny weather to come during the day. Cloud will increase during this evening with some patchy light rain, with sleet or snow above 800m.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: More than 90% during the day falling 50% during evening.

Low cloud and visibility: No low cloud through daylight hours, but a zone of cloud at 750-900m will spread from north during the evening, bringing hill fog, but visibility beneath cloud will remain mostly good, just some slight reductions in light rain in the evening

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	7/8 S	8/11 SW	12/16 W	16/20 NW	15/18 N	18/23 N	22/28 N
900	6/7 SW	11/13 W	8/10 SW	8/9 NW	7/9 NW	9/11 NW	14/18 N
600	2/3 NW	3/4 N	4/6 W	3/5 W	4/5 W	5/7 W	6/9 N
300	1/2 SW	2/7 SW	2/6 SW	1/2 SW	1/2 SW	1/3 S	2/6 N
Glen	3/8 S	2/7 S	3/5 SE	2/6 NW	3/7 W	2/8 W	3/11 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-1/-4	-1/-5	-2/-7	-3/-10	-3/-9	-4/-10	-4/-12
900	1/-2	0/-4	0/-4	-1/-4	-1/-5	-1/-6	-2/-7
600	0/-1	-0/-2	1/-1	1/-0	0/-2	0/-2	0/-3
300	-2/-4	-1/-3	1/-0	0/-1	-2/-3	0/-1	1/-1
Glen	-2/-4	-3/-4	1/1	0/-0	-0/-1	0/-1	1/-0
Freezing Level*	100m	100m	300m	300m	300m	600m	700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing additional.

Forecast for Monday 27 Nov 2023
Weather: A cloudier day with occasional showers, some heavy, falling as snow above 500-600m though perhaps a bit lower at first. Some drifting on the upper slopes. Very cold and windy too.

Maximum wind: North to northeast 30-40mph gusts 55mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%

Low cloud and visibility: Frequent cloud at 750-900m with patches to 600m, bringing hill fog. Occasionally poor visibility beneath cloud in the showers and snow showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 1 rising to Plus 4 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 1 Celsius.
Freezing level: 600m

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